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FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

Tax Collector to be Open Saturday, April 7th, for Property Tax Deadline

Placer County Treasurer-Tax Collector Jenine Windeshausen is reminding property owners that they have until Tuesday, April 10th, at 5:00 p.m. to make the second installment of their annual property taxes for the 2000-2001 year. This deadline should not be confused with the Income Tax deadline that is five days later.

To better serve taxpayers, the Placer County Tax Collector's Office will be open Saturday, April 7th, from 8:00 a.m. until 12:00 noon. Payments that are sent by mail must be postmarked no later than April 10th, 2001. Hand delivered payments must be in the Tax Collector's Office by 5:00 p.m. on April 10th.

For taxpayer convenience, a drive-up deposit box is located outside the Tax Collector's Office, which is located at 2976 Richardson Drive. Additionally, Windeshausen noted a drop box in the lobby of her office could also save taxpayers the trouble of waiting in line. Payments received in these drop boxes must also be received by 5:00 p.m. on April 10th. Taxpayers who have questions about their bill can contact Windeshausen's office by calling 530/889-4120 Monday through Friday, 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m., and on Saturday, April 7th between 8:00 a. m. and 12:00 noon. Windeshausen recommends calling before Thursday, April 5th with any questions, as the volume of calls can make getting through to her office difficult in the days just prior to the deadline.

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